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zRepresentative Tom Delnicki; Sen. Anwar, Saud

Subject:

Say NO to S.B. No. 16

Dear Co-Chair Winfield, Co-Chair Stafstrom, Vice Chair Flexer, Vice Chair Blumenthal, Ranking Member Kissel, Ranking Member Fishbein, and all members of the Judiciary Committee:

I'm writing in regards S.B. No. 16 An Act Addressing Gun Violence & Juvenile Crime. I appreciate Governor Lamont wanting to get tough on crime, I cannot support this bill that has 60 pages of infringes on the rights of citizens. None of these gun control proposals will actually accomplish being tough on crime, or improve the safety of CT citizens

Governor Lamont is clearly out of touch. Roughly 70% of gun offenses in Connecticut today are not prosecuted and the majority of all gun crimes in the state are committed by criminals. And yet he has the audacity to declare that Connecticut has "too many damn guns"?

Now he and partisan, party-line lawmakers want once again bring up the old "stop and frisk" tactic that clearly violates the Constitution when just last year he called for limiting police engagement! This part of the bill has been defeated ad nauseum as being at risk for profiling.

I also find it offensive that he wants waste money on a Statewide Firearms Trafficking Task Force! .

2020 and 2021 set records for new legal permit holders all over the country? All, these people want to be law-abiding gun owners, that come from all ages, genders, races, sexual orientation and political affiliations. Governor Lamont is out of touch, and by pushing S.B. No.16, he is attacking ordinary lawful citizens, not the criminals that destroy our society and drain our community resources.

I ask you to reject Senate Bill 16.

I addition, I also **OPPOSE** H.B. No. 5416 – AN ACT CONCERNING BULK PURCHASES OF PISTOLS AND REVOLVERS.

I **SUPPORT** Raised S.B. No. 388 – AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFENSE OF A PERSON OR A PERSON'S DWELLING, PLACE OF WORK OR MOTOR VEHICLE.

I **SUPPORT** Raised H.B. No. 5415 – AN ACT CONCERNING THE TRANSFER OF ASSAULT WEAPONS AND LARGE CAPACITY MAGAZINES.

I **SUPPORT** Raised H.B. No. 5412 – AN ACT CONCERNING THE DUTY TO RETREAT IN A RELIGIOUS HOUSE OF WORSHIP.

Sincerely,

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